

## Subpart A—Introduction

### § 400.1 Basis and purpose of the program.

(a) This part prescribes requirements concerning grants to States and other public and private non-profit agencies, wherever applicable under title IV of the Immigration and Nationality Act.

(b) It is the purpose of this program to provide for the effective resettlement of refugees and to assist them to achieve economic self-sufficiency as quickly as possible.

(c) Under the authority in section 412(a)(6)(B) of the Immigration and Nationality Act, the Director has established the provision of employment services and English language training as a priority in accomplishing the purpose of this program.

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### § 400.2 Definitions.

The following definitions are applicable for purposes of this part:

*AABD* means aid to the aged, blind, and disabled under title XVI of the Social Security Act.

*AB* means aid to the blind under title X of the Social Security Act.

*Act* means the Immigration and Nationality Act.

*AFDC* means aid to families with dependent children under title IV-A of the Social Security Act.

*APTD* means aid to the permanently and totally disabled under title XIV of the Social Security Act.

*Case management services* means the determination of which service(s) to refer to a refugee to, referral to such service(s), and tracking of the refugee's participation in such service(s).

*Cash assistance* means financial assistance to refugees, including AFDC, SSI, refugee cash assistance, and general assistance, as defined herein, under title IV of the Act.

*Director* means the Director, Office of Refugee Resettlement.

*Federal Funding* or 'FF' means Federal funding for a State's expenditures under the refugee resettlement program.

*General assistance program* means a financial and/or medical assistance program existing in a State or local juris-

diction which: (a) Is funded entirely by State and/or local funds; (b) is generally available to needy persons residing in the State or locality who meet specified income and resource requirements; and (c) consists of one-time emergency, or ongoing assistance intended to meet basic needs of recipients, such as food, clothing, shelter, medical care, or other essentials of living.

*HHS* means the Department of Health and Human Services.

*Medical assistance* means medical services to refugees, including Medicaid, refugee medical assistance, and general assistance, as defined herein, under title IV of the Act.

*OAA* means old age assistance under title I of the Social Security Act.

*ORR* means the Office of Refugee Resettlement.

*Plan* means a written description of the State's refugee resettlement program and a commitment by the State to administer or supervise the administration of the program in accordance with Federal requirements in this part.

*Refugee* means an individual who meets the definitions of a refugee under section 101(a)(42) of the Act.

*Refugee cash assistance (RCA)* means cash assistance provided under section 412(e) of the Act to refugees who are ineligible for AFDC, OAA, AB, APTD, AABD, or SSI.

*Refugee medical assistance (RMA)* means: (a) Medical assistance provided under section 412(e) of the Act to refugees who are ineligible for the Medicaid program; and (b) services provided in accordance with §§ 400.106 and 400.107 of this part.

*Secretary* means the Secretary of HHS.

*Sponsor* means an individual, church, civic organization, State or local government, or other group or organization which has agreed to help in the reception and initial placement of refugees in the United States and other public and private non-profit agencies, wherever.

*SSI* means supplemental security income under title XVI of the Social Security Act.

*State* means the 50 States, the District of Columbia, Guam, Puerto Rico, the Virgin Islands, the Commonwealth